

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §8-126.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Except as otherwise provided in Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967, functions of Board of Commissioners of District of Columbia transferred to Commissioner of District of Columbia by section 401 of Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967. Office of Commissioner of District of Columbia, as established by Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967, abolished as of noon Jan. 2, 1975, by Pub. L. 93-198, title VII, §711, Dec. 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 818, and replaced by office of Mayor of District of Columbia by section 421 of Pub. L. 93-198, classified to section 1-241 of the District of Columbia Code. Accordingly, "Mayor" substituted in text for "commissioner".

Department of War designated Department of the Army and title of Secretary of War changed to Secretary of the Army by section 205(a) of act July 26, 1947, ch. 343, title II, 61 Stat. 501. Section 205(a) of act July 26, 1947, was repealed by section 53 of act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 641. Section 1 of act Aug. 10, 1956, enacted "Title 10, Armed Forces" which in sections 3010 to 3013 continued Department of the Army under administrative supervision of Secretary of the Army.

§ 101. Laws of District extended to public buildings and grounds

The provisions of the several laws and regulations within the District of Columbia for the protection of public or private property and the preservation of peace and order are extended to all public buildings and public grounds belonging to the United States within the District of Columbia. Any person guilty of disorderly and unlawful conduct in or about the same, or who shall willfully injure the buildings or shrubs, or shall pull down, impair, or otherwise injure any fence, wall, or other inclosure, or shall injure any sink, culvert, pipe, hydrant, cistern, lamp, or bridge, or shall remove any stone, gravel, sand, or other property of the United States, or any other part of the public grounds or lots belonging to the United States in the District of Columbia shall be fined not more than \$500, or imprisoned not more than six months, or both. (July 29, 1892, ch. 320, §15, 27 Stat. 325; Oct. 20, 1967, Pub. L. 90-108, §2, 81 Stat. 277.)

CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §§4-116, 22-3111.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those comprising this section were contained in former section 192 of this title.

AMENDMENTS

1967—Pub. L. 90-108 substituted "shall be fined not more than \$500, or imprisoned not more than six months, or both" for "shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than \$50".

VIOLATIONS PRIOR TO 1967 AMENDMENT

For prosecution of violations of this section prior to enactment of Pub. L. 90-108, see section 3 of Pub. L. 90-108, set out as an Effective Date of 1967 Amendment note under section 193a of this title.

EFFECT OF OTHER LAWS

Section as unaffected by sections 193a to 193f, 212a, 212b of this title, see note set out under section 193a of this title.

BOARD OF METROPOLITAN POLICE

Duties and authority of former Board of Metropolitan Police of District of Columbia, for police purposes, were

extended to all public squares and places, and authorizing and requiring Board to make appropriate rules and regulations in relation thereto, by act Mar. 3, 1875, ch. 130, 18 Stat. 385, and repeated in act July 31, 1876, ch. 246, 19 Stat. 110, and act Mar. 3, 1877, ch. 105, 19 Stat. 346. Powers and duties exercised by Board transferred to Commissioners of District of Columbia by act June 11, 1878, ch. 180, §6, 20 Stat. 107.

SPECIAL POLICEMEN

The provision of act Oct. 26, 1942, ch. 629, title II, 56 Stat. 1000, which related to designation by Commissioner of Public Buildings of employees of Public Buildings Administration as special policemen without compensation during continuance of unlimited national emergency declared by President on May 27, 1941, was repealed, effective July 1, 1948, by Joint Res. July 25, 1947, ch. 327, §2(a), 61 Stat. 451.

§ 102. Ailanthus trees prohibited

No more ailanthus¹ trees shall be purchased for or planted in the public grounds.

(R.S. §1830.)

CODIFICATION

R.S. §1830 derived from act Mar. 3, 1853, ch. 97, §1, 10 Stat. 207.

§ 103. Trees, shrubs, and plants, in greenhouses and nursery

On and after June 20, 1878, only such trees, shrubs, and plants shall be propagated at the greenhouses and nursery as are suitable for planting in the public reservations, to which purpose only the said productions of the greenhouses and nursery shall be applied.

(June 20, 1878, ch. 359, 20 Stat. 220.)

CODIFICATION

Section is based on Sundry Civil Appropriation Act June 20, 1878, fiscal year 1879.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Functions of all officers, agencies, and employees of Department of Agriculture transferred, with certain exceptions, to Secretary of Agriculture by Reorg. Plan No. 2 of 1953, §1, eff. June 4, 1953, 18 F.R. 3219, 67 Stat. 633, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees.

§ 104. Commission of Fine Arts

A permanent Commission of Fine Arts is created to be composed of seven well-qualified judges of the fine arts, who shall be appointed by the President, and shall serve for a period of four years each, and until their successors are appointed and qualified. The President shall have authority to fill all vacancies. It shall be the duty of such commission to advise upon the location of statues, fountains, and monuments in the public squares, streets, and parks in the District of Columbia, and upon the selection of models for statues, fountains, and monuments erected under the authority of the United States and upon the selection of artists for the execution of the same. It shall be the duty of the officers charged by law to determine such questions in each case to call for such advice. The foregoing provisions of this section shall not apply to the Capitol Building of the United States and

¹ So in original. Probably should be "ailanthus".